

HOUSE BILL No. 1033

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 35-47.

Synopsis: Ban on assault weapons. Provides that the manufacture, importation, sale, or possession of ammunition for a machine gun, an automatic weapon, or a semiautomatic weapon is a Class C felony.

Effective: July 1, 2001.

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January 8, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development.

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First Regular Session 112th General Assembly (2001)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2000 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 35-47-1-2.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
3 1, 2001]: **Sec. 2.5. "Automatic weapon" or "semiautomatic**
4 **weapon" means a weapon that shoots, is designed to shoot, or can**
5 **be readily restored to shoot automatically more than one (1) shot,**
6 **without manual reloading, by a single function of the trigger.**
7 SECTION 2. IC 35-47-5-8, AS AMENDED BY P.L.104-2000,
8 SECTION 3, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
9 JULY 1, 2001]: Sec. 8. (a) A person who ~~owns or possesses:~~
10 **knowingly or intentionally:**
11 (1) **manufactures;**
12 (2) **imports into Indiana;**
13 (3) **sells;**
14 (4) **purchases;**
15 (5) **possesses; or**
16 (6) **transfers possession of;**
17 a machine gun, ~~or an automatic weapon,~~ a semiautomatic weapon,

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1 or ammunition for any of these weapons commits a Class C felony.
2 ~~(2)~~ (b) A person who knowingly or intentionally owns or
3 possesses a bomb commits a Class C felony.

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